

GOVERNOR APPOINTS DELEGATES

To a Transportation Convention and a Farmers' Congress.

Governor Chamberlain today appointed J. R. Cartwright and Walter Huston, of Harrisburg, and H. T. Buxton, of Forest Grove delegates from Oregon to the National Farmers' Congress, held at Rock Island, Ill., October 9-13.

Also the following delegates to the Trans-Mississippi Commercial Congress to be held at Kansas City, November 20-23:

F. Drusser, Carl H. Jackson, E. J. Jaeger, E. J. Jeffry, Al. Kadderly, F. W. Leadbetter, A. Feldenheimer, H. L. Pitcock, C. S. Jackson, Robert Brady, Frank E. Dooley, Frank O'Neill, John Montag, D. W. Tilford, W. N. Baker, Dr. R. C. Coffey, W. B. Honeyman, M. F. Henderson, of Portland; C. E. Brown, J. E. Grate, Astoria; Russel Catlin, Julius Pincus, L. K. Page, C. K. Spaulding, E. Hofer, H. D. Patton, A. Hucklestein, of Salem; Fred Weatherford, D. P. Mason, Wm. Hogan, Albany; A. Wilhelm, Monroe; B. F. Miles, Newberg; J. T. Robinson, Eugene; R. L. Neill, Sumpter, D. L. Keyt, Dallas; Peter Johnson, Huntington; Robert A. Harris, Dayton; W. M. Holmes, Medford; W. E. Grace, Mose Tucks, Baker City; W. C. Calder, Ontario; Peter Loggie, Marshfield; George N. Crossfield, Wasco; Chas. W. Crossfield, Candon; Fred Holmes, Wallawa; George S. Craig, Enterprise; Will W. Baldwin, Klamath Falls; B. May, Harrisburg.

State News

Union Avenue, in Portland, is to be paved with bitulithic.

Copper has been discovered in large quantities near La Grande.

The sugar beet crop at La Grande is very large this year.

In the final game at Portland yesterday Fresno won by a score of 1 to 0.

Empire City is awaking to its possibilities, and many new enterprises are on foot.

Pendleton schools will have two holidays this week, so that the children can attend the fair.

Mr. and Mrs. John Kelsner, of Oregon City, who have been picking hops in Marion county, have earned \$107.

Multnomah's assessment roll will be close to \$170,000,000, an increase of over \$25,000,000 since last year.

Rain is damaging the hops in Lane county, and it is feared the loss of the crop may reach 40 per cent.

Bishop Henry W. Warren, of Illinois, will preside over the Oregon Methodist conference at Portland this week.

The O. R. & N. is taking an interest in the Eagle valley, Baker county proposition, and Baker City is sure of a railroad.

An unknown man tried to commit suicide in a Portland boarding house by inhaling gas. Two boarders found him with the rubber gas tube in his mouth, and they rescued him before any serious damage was done.

A mardi gras queen is to be voted for at the Pendleton fair, who will reign over mardi gras Saturday night. The social side of the fair is also being looked after, and committees of the most prominent social leaders in Pendleton have been selected to receive on the different days. Mrs. James Fee is the head hostess for the entire week.

ADVANCING THEIR INTEREST

WE ENDEAVOR to advance the business interests of our customers in every legitimate way. In so doing, our motives may be somewhat tinged with selfishness, for, upon the prosperity of its patrons hinges the success of every bank.

Salem State Bank

L. K. PAGE, President
E. W. HAZARD, Cashier

THOSE ARTFUL FLEAS

Invade Milwaukee and Find Fresh and Abundant Pasturage

Milwaukee, Wisconsin, erstwhile famous for its beer, comes to the front with another bid for immortal fame. Tell it not in Eolia, and whisper it not in Scappoose, but the city of the foaming beer glass, the lordly stein and the hasty growler is afflicted with a plague of fleas. Not the diminutive kind indigenous to the household cat! not the average domesticated breed so well known in the sand flats of San Francisco; not the degenerate children of ignoble sires that lie in wait for beast and beauty alike in the Middle States; not the plebeian article that satisfies its appetite, on the dusky cuticle of the descendants of Ham in the sunny South, and associates with "black legs." None of these infest Milwaukee. It is an entirely new stock imported from Russia, and of the buttinski variety. They are no respecter of persons, these buttinskis, but, like the prodigal son, find a home in the city of breweries and satisfy their abnormal appetites on "fatted calves." Churches are closed, for the minister cannot combat sin in flowery language, while anthems from depths profound seek egress through the lips. The congregation cannot profit by words of wisdom while a hundred or more omnivorous fleas are presenting overdue bill and collecting the same by attachment proceedings. The white winged dove of peace cuts no lee while the nightingale's little fends pursue their devouring way over, and, alas, under peck-a-boo stockings and dainty lingerie.

Social functions are declared off—that is, the usual social functions, and have been superseded by scratching parties. Young ladies are not at home to gentlemen callers. Invitations of all kinds are declined on the for once truthful grounds of a "previous engagement." The moon looks down at night and sees not the accustomed vision of two at a gate. There isn't time for such airy nothings. Johnny is upstairs turning his undergarments inside out in the vain hope of relief; and Sarah Jane anxiously rubs her back across the jamb of the kitchen door, while the neglected dishes remain unwashed. From the men profanity, not loud, but heartfelt, is borne on every breeze—while from the women goes up the cry, "The wicked flea whom no man pursueth." Verily Milwaukee is in it. Her supply of malt may be small, but every citizen, male or female, old or young, has an individual supply of "hops," and everyone within her borders has employment. Like the true philanthropist their right hand knows not what their left hands do. The situation reminds the horse editor of that old verse:

"His pole was made of a peacock feather,
His line was of the finest tether,
He baits his hook with mites from cheese
And he sits on his bed and bobs for fleas."

Cassett Is Dying.

New York, Sept. 24.—It is reported in Wall street this afternoon that President Cassett, of the Pennsylvania railroad, is not expected to live through the night. He is suffering from whooping cough, contracted from his grandchildren, at his summer home near Philadelphia.

The Marshfield Sun, of Thursday, says: "Andrew Shutter was found guilty of rape Friday last by a jury of his peers." This is a give away on the jury, but still Shutter was the only one who had to "do time."

HEALTH DEPENDS

On the Stomach. When it is in bad shape the other organs are soon affected, and your health is undermined. To keep it always strong and healthy you only need an occasional dose of

HOSTETTER'S STOMACH BITTERS

Something else won't do in its place. It always cures and prevents Poor Appetite, Flatulency, Heartburn, Dyspepsia, Indigestion, Constipation, Female Ills or Malaria Fever and Ague.

Personals

James T. Wart left today for Albany.

J. J. Dalrymple left this morning for Seattle.

F. P. Talkington left for Portland this morning.

Dr. Ransome, of Turner, is here on business.

F. G. Haas is in Portland today to look after business interests.

F. M. Martin, of Corvallis, is here looking after business interests.

D. J. Fry has returned from an over-Sunday visit at Yaquina Bay.

L. Mosher, of Clackamas, was visiting friends in this city yesterday.

Miss Julia Williams was among the Albany-bound passengers today.

Theo. Roth was bound for Albany and other south points this morning.

Donald Yantis left yesterday for Corvallis, where he will attend school.

George F. Rodgers has gone to Spokane to attend the development league.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Reeves left for Portland today, after a visit with friends here.

Miss Gladys Farrar left for Eugene today to attend the University of Oregon.

D. H. Weyant, of the Sienna Paint Company, left today for a trip to Albany and Corvallis.

Miss Iva West, of Bend, arrived in Salem yesterday, and will attend the University.

Mrs. H. Snook and children left this morning for a visit with relatives in Spokane.

Ex-Governor Wm. P. Lord was among the Portland-bound passengers this morning.

Mrs. M. A. Todd, who has been visiting in the city, left this morning for her home in Loraine.

Gordon Moores returned to Eugene today to resume his studies at the State University.

Mrs. J. P. Durfee, who has been visiting Salem friends, returned to her home in Drain today.

C. P. Bishop returned to Portland this morning after an over-Sunday visit with his family here.

Dr. McGaw, who has been supplying the Presbyterian pulpit, left this morning for his home in Portland.

Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Ferguson, who have been visiting in the city, returned to their home in Albany today.

Eugene Houston, who has been visiting his aunt, Mrs. J. F. Peebler, at Roseburg, returned home yesterday.

H. B. Thielson has gone to Spokane as a delegate to the development league, which meets there tomorrow.

Mrs. Fred Lockley, Sr., after a visit with Salem relatives, left this morning for her home in Missoula, Wisconsin.

Mrs. H. J. Preston, after a visit with her daughter, Mrs. A. Thomas, returned this morning to her home in Oregon City.

Miss A. Wainwright, who has been visiting her cousin, Mrs. Fred Hewitt, left this morning for her home in Elkhon.

Miss Ollie Rigby, who has been on a trip in Canada, arrived in the city yesterday to resume her studies at Willamette University.

Mrs. A. M. Worthen and daughter, who have been visiting the former's son, A. W. Worthen, returned to their home in Portland this morning.

Mrs. W. H. Moody and daughter, who have been the guests of ex-Governor Moody, left for their home at Shaniko this morning.

F. E. Wiley, wife and daughter, who have been in the city for the past week, left this morning for their home in Central Point.

Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Wright, who have been visiting the former's brother, Perry Wright, left this morning for their home in Shaniko.

Wm. M. Anderson, of Portland, arrived yesterday to take a position on the surveying crew of the Willamette Valley Traction Company.

James Lewis, who has been working for the S. P. Co., at Glendale the past year, came up this morning, and goes to Eastern Oregon to take a position with the O. R. & N. Co.

Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Houston are home from a ten-days' trip in Colorado and New Mexico.

John Steelhammer returned to Woodburn this morning, after having spent several days in the city.

Miss Jennie Gover, of Richland, arrived in the city yesterday to attend Willamette University.

Mrs. Carey Martin left yesterday for Grangeville, Idaho, where she will visit friends and relatives.

Rev. A. Moore, rector of St. Joseph's church, went to Portland today to attend business matters.

Dr. R. L. Heritage, of Spokane, arrived here yesterday to assume the deanship of the College of Music.

Wallace G. Trill has returned to

Attorneys E. P. Morcom and Thos. Brown, of Woodburn, are in the city today on professional business.

Mrs. Harrison A. Green has returned to Portland, after a visit with her sister, Mrs. A. C. Lawrence, and numerous friends.

The city to resume his studies at Willamette University. He was formerly engaged in the advertising business here.

Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Duncan and son, Ray, and daughters, Bertha and Myrtle, left this morning for Baker City, near which place they will reside.

Misses Mary and Nora Emmel, of Tualatin, who formerly attended Pacific University, at Forest Grove, are among the students at Willamette University.

Levi Card left yesterday for Pendleton, where he will play a week's engagement with the band playing at the Pendleton fair. He will also play at the Walla Walla fair before returning home.

Miss B. A. Steiner, of St. Louis, who has been visiting in the city, left this morning for Portland and Tacoma. After visiting in these places she will return to her home in the East.

Mrs. Frank Howell, Mrs. Wm. Hills and Mrs. Harry Ellis, of Portland, are spending the day in the city, visiting friends and seeing the pigeon shooting at the fair grounds.

Ellis Ridel and wife arrived in the city this morning, and will make Salem their home. Mr. Ridel is employed by the Barr plumbing shop, and plays clarinet in the Salem military band.

Arthur Prideaux, of Portland, arrived today to attend Willamette University. He is a graduate of Pacific University, at Forest Grove, and will take his master's degree here. He will teach in the commercial department.

Funeral of John Estes.

The remains of John Estes, who died recently in Spokane, Washington, will arrive here this evening. The funeral will be under the auspices of the Masons, and will take place tomorrow afternoon at 2:30 from the Masonic hall, and the presence of all members is requested.

Mr. Estes was a deputy in the sheriff's office during the administrations of Colbath and Durbin, and is well-known in this city.

TAFT IS STILL ON THE LID

Cubans Growing More Rational Fearing Absorption by the United States

Havana, Sept. 24.—Taft entered the last stage of the peace negotiations today with conferences with the committee representing both sides, and is making every possible effort to force a compromise. As signs of peace increase business interests demand the retention of American forces. They say America must either establish a provisional government, or leave a detachment of troops to insure tranquility.

Assistant Cashier Dead.

St. Avenger, Norway, Sept. 24.—Ulrich Daniels, assistant cashier of the defunct Milwaukee Avenue State Bank, of Chicago, died in the hospital here today. He came here to attend Haakon's coronation, and seeking health, being a sufferer from paralysis. The news of the failure hastened his decline and death.

Cannon Says No.

St. Louis, Sept. 24.—Speaker Cannon, who is en route to speak at Sedalia, this morning said: "Me a Presidential candidate? No such bee in my bonnet."

Stensland Comes Home.

New York, Sept. 24.—The steamer Princess Adelbert, bearing Stensland from Tangier, was sighted at 11:30 off Fire Island. She will probably reach quarantine about 3 o'clock this afternoon.

Going to Have a Storm.

An old subscriber, who has a rheumatic shoulder, tells us he is sure we are going to have a storm.

Bishop's Body Recovered.

Hong Kong, Sept. 24.—It is announced that Bishop Hoare's body has been recovered and taken ashore at Macao.

SALEM LIBRARY FICTION

Which Has Just Been Added at the City Hall

The Harkriders, A Name to Conjure With, A Singular Life, Kindred of the Wild, The Lady Paramount, Shandon Bells, A Friend With the Countersign, Pan Michael, My Lady Peggy Goes to Town, A Garden of Allah, The Nerve of Foley, The Helmet of Navaree, Uncle Burnack, The Hound of the Baskervilles, The King of Diamonds, The Cavalier, The Maid at Arms, Mistress Bonaparte, The King of Honey Island, The Cardinal's Snuff Box, Robert Cavalier, Black Friday, Vesty of the Basins, The Clansman, On the Plantation, The Great Mogul, Trilby, The Last of the Flatboats, The Children of the Mist, The Pension of Capt. Horn, Sir Mortimer, The Sherrods, The Strollers, The Crisis, Chas. O'Malley, Hyperion, On the Heights, The Master of Ballantrae, A Week on the Concord, The White Company, Theima, Views A-Foot.

THIRD MAN IS CHOSEN

San Francisco, Sept. 24.—Judge W. H. Beatty, presiding justice of the supreme court, today announced his acceptance of the appointment as third arbitrator in the dispute between the United Railways and its employees. This completes the board, which immediately proceeded to adjust the differences which caused the recent tie-up of the street railways.

Bryan in New Orleans.

New Orleans, Sept. 24.—Bryan arrived today, and was tendered a reception and banquet.

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